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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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· OIL-IN-WATER EMULSION COSMETIC For

COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR

PRODUCING THE SAME

Examiner Heyer, Dennis

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application is a PTO/SB/08 Equivalent listing 8 (eight) references to be considered by the Examiner. Also enclosed are 6 (six) foreign patent references and/or non-patent literature as listed on the Information Disclosure Statement.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a final action and before the mailing date of a Notice of Allowance.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(1)

I hereby certify that each item of information contained in this Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign Patent Office in a counterpart foreign application not more than 30 days prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

Thus, no fee is required as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or to credit any overpayment to Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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